

EUGENE PERRY ("BUDDY BROOKS") Sworn for the State. I have known Ivy Jones for about six years. I have also known Jim Conley ever since he was a baby. On April 26, 1913, I left my place of business between 12:30 and 1 o'clock. After going home I started back to town to go to the ball game. I met Ivy Jones and Jim Conley at the corner of Hunter and Haynes Streets at 2:15 p.m. and had a conversation with them. I told them I was going to the ball game. Ivy Jones said "Well wait for me over on Peters St. and I'll go with you. Then I left them. I didn't go by way of Peters Street then but went over to the house of Major Caldwell on Nelson Street and went with him to the ball game. I didn't see Ivy Jones or Jim Conley any more that day. About three weeks ago a rather small, young, clean-shaven fellow came to see me twice. The first time he came he said he wanted to ask me about a railroad accident. I said I didn't know anything about any railroad accident. He said he wanted to find out who I met that day, on April 26, 1913. I told him I met Ivy Jones and Jim Conley. I told him how I had met Jones and Conley on Hunter Street that day and that was the only time I saw them. A little over a week after that, the same young fellow who had talked to me before came again. He handed me a paper. The paper said that me and Caldwell went out to the baseball game on April 26, 1913. It said that I met Ivy Jones on the corner of Hunter and Haynes Streets along about 3 o'clock, and I said "No, it was 2:15 o'clock. You ain't got Jim Conley's name there and I told you I met both of them, Conley and Jones." He took a pencil and put Jim Conley's name on the paper and he put 2:15 instead of 3 o'clock. He handed me the paper and a pencil and said to sign it. He said he was going to have me subpoenaed to the Superior Court if I didn't sign it and I said I didn't care for I didn't want to sign it. I never signed any paper for him at all.